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SUBJ: ANOTHER LAO H-34 HELICOPTER FLOW TO UDORN.

1. ON JULY 11 A LAO SIKORSKY H-34 HELICOPTER WAS FLOWN FROM PHONE SAVANE AIRBASE IN SOUTHERN LAOS TO THE RTAF BASE AT UDORN. THAI MILITARY OFFICIALS SAID THE ESCAPE OCCURRED WHEN THREE LAO AIR FORCE OFFICERS AND THEIR FAMILIES (TOTAL OF SEVEN PEOPLE) COMMANDERED THE AIRCRAFT FROM A SLEEPY SUNDAY MORNING RUNWAY IN PHONE SAVANE.

2. THE REFUGEES CHOSE UDORN BECAUSE THE PILOT HAD REPORTEDLY TRAINED HERE SEVERAL YEARS AGO AND WAS FAMILIAR WITH THE AREA.

3. DISPOSITION PLANS HAVE NOT YET BEEN ANNOUNCED. THAI OFFICIALS INDICATE THE AIRCRAFT WILL REMAIN IN UDORN FOR THE TIME BEING.

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